

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK
ENDED THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1936.

A total of 6 attacks with 3 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 15 attacks with 4 deaths in the previous week. Mysore City reported 3 attacks with 2 deaths while Bangalore City and Kolar Gold Field Area remained free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1935 and 1934 were 46 attacks with 20 deaths and 175 attacks with 96 deaths, respectively.

A total of 23 attacks with 1 death from Small-pox was reported from one village in each of Sorab, Tirthahalli and Kunigal Taluks; two villages from Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; three villages from Chiknaikanhalli Taluk.

Twenty-three attacks with 7 deaths from Cholera were reported from one village in each of Davangere and Yelandur Taluks, and from Melkote Town.

Two fatal cases from Influenza were reported from the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore.

The State remained free from Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 100 (25 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 25.84 (19.88 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 31.64 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—2 under Typhoid, 1 under other Fevers, 12 under Phthisis, 17 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea, and 68 under all other causes. Although the total mortality was less than in the previous year, there was increase in mortality under Phthisis.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 94 deaths (20 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 34.86 (27.05 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 28.01 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Malaria 1, Plague 1, Broncho Pneumonia 7, Pneumonia 5, Typhoid 3, Phthisis 5, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 9, and all other causes 63. There was an increase in mortality under all other causes.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 39 (13 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 16.96 (11.30 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 25.72 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered, 2 under Plague, 1 under Malaria, 2 under Typhoid, 1 under other fevers, 3 under Phthisis, 4 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea and 26 under all other causes. The reported mortality is too low.

There were 52 deaths (6 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 32.30 (28.57 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 30.34 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under Typhoid, 4 under other Fevers, 2 under Phthisis, 8 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea and 37 under all other causes. The mortality was normal.

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Statement of cotton pressed in the Mysore State for the week ending 18th September 1936.

(Section 3-II.)

Name of the Division or Block	Number of bales pressed		Number of bales pressed		Remarks
	During the week	During the corresponding week of last year	Since the commencement of the season, 1st September 1935	During the corresponding period of last year	
1	2	3	4	5	6
Mysore State	...	98	873	144	

BANGALORE,
Dated 5th October 1936.

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